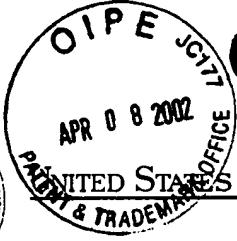


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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.
Applicant must submit \$ 370 to complete the basic filing fee for a small entity.
- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$945.
 - \$819 for 91 total claims over 20.
 - \$126 for 3 independent claims over 3 .
- The oath or declaration is missing.
A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(l) of \$65 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- **The balance due by applicant is \$ 1380.**

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Applicant: LOUISE E. MOSER; PETER M. MELLAR-SMITH
Serial No.: 10/053,240
Filed: OCTOBER 26, 2001
For: FAULT TOLERANCE FOR COMPUTER PROGRAMS THAT OPERATE OVER A
COMMUNICATION NETWORK
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BOX MISSING PARTS

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

**SUBMISSION OF MISSING PARTS OF APPLICATION
UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.53**

Dear Sir:

In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application (PTO-1533) mailed February 19, 2002, a copy of which is enclosed, please find the following documents which are incorporated by reference herein:

1. Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney;
2. Power of Attorney by Assignee and Exclusion of Inventor(s) Under 37 C.F.R. 3.71;
3. Assignee Certification Under 37 C.F.R. 3.73(b);
4. Check in the amount of \$1,380 (\$1,315 filing fees and \$65 surcharge for the fees due as a small entity);
5. Assignment Cover Letter;
6. Assignment;
7. Check in the amount of \$80 (assignment recording fee).

The amount due for the filing fees and surcharge has been computed as follows:

CLAIMS AS FILED						
	Number filed		Number Extra		Rate	Basic Fee
Total						\$ 740.00
Claims 37 CFR 1.16(c)	111	- 20	=	91	X	\$18.00 = 1,638.00
Independent Claims (37 CFR 1.16(b))	6	- 3	=	3	X	\$84.00 = 252.00
Multiple dependent claim(s), if any (37 CFR 1.16(d))					+	\$280.00 =

Filing Fee Calculation	\$ 2,630.00
Surcharge	\$ 130.00
TOTAL FILING FEE	\$ 2,760.00

Small Entity Statement(s)

Applicant qualifies as a small entity under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27.

Filing Fee Calculation (50% of above) \$ 1,380.00

Amount already paid LESS (\$ _____)

TOTAL FILING FEES DUE \$ 1,380.00

Assignment recording fee \$ 80.00

Petition fee \$ 0

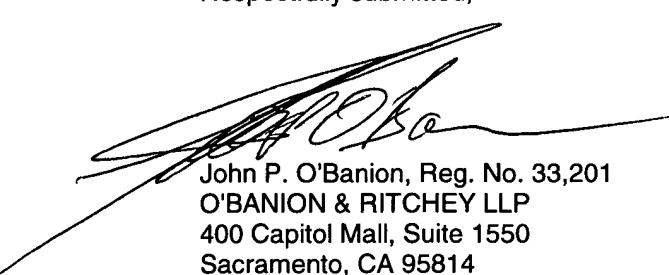
TOTAL FEES DUE \$ 1,460.00

Please charge any additional fees due to deposit account no. 07-1137.

Having now complied with all of the requirements of 37 C.F.R. 1.53, the Applicants respectfully request that this application be placed upon the files for examination.

Dated: April 8, 2002.

Respectfully submitted,



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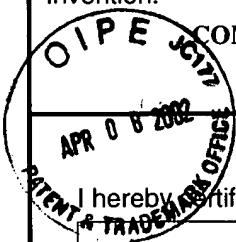
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